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The Press entered its thirty-fourth volume on January 1st, 1886.

Now is the time to subscribe. It will be interesting and entertaining to you.

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Salem, N. C., Jan. 1, 1886.

Gov. Seales is not in his usual robust health.

The Mexican revolutionists and the regulars have had a battle.

Five shocks of earthquake were felt at Winfield, Iowa, Thursday night.

Senators Vance and Ransom will speak during the present political campaign.

The Treasury Department at Washington calls for \$15,000,000 of three per cent. bonds.

The President has appointed W. J. Allen, of South Carolina, Consul at Pielgraz, Mexico.

The Wilmington Morning Star entered upon its thirty-ninth half-yearly volume on last Thursday.

The Western N. C. Railroad is being put in thorough repair for the winter travel.

The large surplus for the relief of Chicago in the great fire will be appropriated for the relief of Charleston.

The Presbyterian Synod of North Carolina will meet in the Presbyterian church in Concord, on the 5th of October.

The credit of North Carolina is excellent, our 4 per cent. bonds being at par, and the 6 per cent. at a premium of 30 cents on the dollar.

Heavy rains caused considerable damage in Michigan. Railroad bridges are damaged and great washouts on the track cause delays to the trains.

Col. R. Z. Lacey, independent candidate for Congress against Col. Cowles, in the Eighth North Carolina district, withdrew from the canvass at Downsville, Caldwell co., Saturday.

Hon. J. C. Buxton was nominated at the Democratic Senatorial Convention in Germantown on Friday to represent Stokes and Forsyth in the Senate of the next General Assembly.

Slight shocks of earthquake are still felt at Charleston and Summerville. In Charleston six hundred buildings out of seven thousand have been inspected, and the damage estimated at \$2,000,000, in August.

Hon. Jas. W. Reid, our candidate for Congress in the Fifth District, is making brilliant addresses throughout his territory, dividing time with his Republican opponent, Mr. Brower, and is enthusiastically received wherever he goes. His election is conceded as beyond all question by the leaders of the opposition.

Godey's Ladies Book for October is a seasonable autumn number. The fashion plates are replete with pretty illustrations for different articles of costume, while an attractive frontispiece illustration and colored and black-work designs will be eagerly welcomed by its lady readers. The Fashion Notes give many reasonable hints upon autumn styles and also treat upon different ways of decorating our homes. Godey's increases each month in interest. W. E. Striker, Philadelphia, Publisher. Price, \$2.00 per year.

Hon. Jas. W. Reid, Democratic candidate for Congress, will address the people as follows:

Winston, (at night), Friday, October 1. Greensboro, (at night), Saturday, October 2.

In the joint canvass with Hon. J. M. Brower Republican candidate for Congress, he will address the people at the following times and places: Prestonville, Stokes county, Monday, Oct. 4; Danbury, Stokes county, Tuesday, 5th; Mt. Airy, Surry county, Wednesday, 6th; Dobson, Surry county, Thursday, 7th; Dalton, Stokes county, Friday, 8th; Winston, Forsyth county, Saturday, 9th; Kernersville, Forsyth county, Monday, 11th; Greensboro, Guilford county, Tuesday, 12th; McLeansville, Guilford county, Wednesday, 13th; New Bethel, Rockingham county, Thursday, 14th; Wentworth, Rockingham county, Friday, 15th; Ruffin, Rockingham county, Saturday, 16th; Yanceyville, Caswell county, Monday, 18th; Leesboro, Caswell county, Tuesday, 19th; Cunningham's Store, Person county, Wednesday, 20th; Roxboro, Person county, Thursday, 21st; Young's X Roads, Granville county, Saturday, 23rd; Dutchville, Granville county, Monday, 25th. Speakings will commence promptly at 1 o'clock, p. m.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.—The following nominations were made by the Republican State Convention at Raleigh last week:

For Chief Justice—W. P. Bynum, of Charlotte.

For Associate Justices—J. W. Al- bertson, of Elizabeth City; R. P. Buxton, of Fayetteville.

Judges Superior Court: Third district—B. A. Bullock. Fourth district—T. P. Devereaux. Sixth—D. M. Furches. Eighth—W. S. O. Robinson. Ninth—A. E. Holton. Tenth—John Marsh. Twelfth—Perry A. Cumming.

CORRESPONDENCE.

LETTERS FROM OUR FRIENDS.

KERNERSVILLE LETTER.

Messrs. Editors:—On yesterday I preached the funeral sermon of Mrs. Samuel Rich, at Love's church, and had a large congregation. And, by the way, we had some excellent singing by the singing class of Love's Sunday School, led by Mr. Lancaster. Uncle Sol. Clemmons closed the morning service with an appropriate prayer. He says his name is not Solomon. He says his name is to think, but Salathiel Stone Clemmons; and that his name was given him by the old ex-sheriff of Stokes County, Salathiel Stone, and the first hat he ever had Mr. Stone gave him in honor of the name. He said, during Judge Clout's administration on the bench, he was a witness at court and was standing in the court yard when the erier called out, Solomon Clemmons, Solomon Clemmons, Solomon Clemmons, and he went with him, and when he came to the judge's presence, he addressed him as Salathiel Stone Clemmons. Judge Clout said: "Why did you not answer to your name when you were called?" Because I was not called. Clemmons. "Is not called," your name Solomon Clemmons?" "No, sir." "Well, what is it?" "Salathiel Stone Clemmons." "You are excused, Mr. Clemmons, you did perfectly right in not answering," said the judge.

After partaking of a beautiful lunch, we listened to some more singing and enjoyed it. Love's Church is one among the first preaching places the Methodists located in this country, and a Mr. Love gave an acre of ground to build the first meeting-house, on over one hundred years ago, hence the name.

On last Friday I went to Mr. Samuel Reed, living 6 miles south of Salem, in the Friedland settlement. He has a daughter 12 years old, that has been in a very strange way for some time. Last January she took her life and a physician was sent for who treated the case for typhoid fever. She lingered on for about a month, got no better but weaker, and finally apparently went to sleep and remained in that condition 21 days, never woke nor spoke; at the close of this term it was thought she was dying and for two days and nights the neighbors were waiting for the end, when all at once she opened her eyes, looked around, asked to be turned over in the bed, and then asked for some milk, which she drank eagerly; she then asked for her little sister, the baby, they brought it, and she looked at it for some time and then said: "How the baby has grown since I have been gone." They asked her where she had been;—she said she thought she had been on the borders of Heaven, and she heard the most beautiful singing, and saw so many pretty things that looked like gold, and she wanted to go into that pretty place, but some one came to her and put his hand on her and told her she should go to her father and mother and stay awhile and then she should come back and he would take her in.

She seemed to recruit for a few days, and then went to sleep again and remained in that condition 26 days, awoke, as before, the next time she lay for 8 days, and now she is going off the fourth time, and whether she will wake again remains to be seen. Dr. Dorsett is the attending physician, and he has had Drs. Shaffner and Robinson to see her;—to say the least, it seems to us outsiders, a strange case, what they may think of I do not know. The last time she has been awake about 5 weeks, and all that she has lived on is half a cracker a day soaked in water. I have used the term sleep for want of a better one, for I cannot define the condition, and I have not met with any of the doctors to ask them what they term it.

Mr. Reid and his wife are good people, and they have raised a nice family of children, and this one, although so young, is said to have been the best of them all, and she seems anxious to go back to that beautiful place she says she saw in the distance, and that Jesus will meet her (for he was the one that spoke to her) at the gate and take her in.

C. L. R.

Kernersville, Sept. 26th, 1886.

GUILFORD COUNTY DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION NOMINEES.—For the Senate—J. T. Morehead.

For the House—W. P. Wharton.

Clerk—J. N. Nelson.

Register—W. U. Steiner.

Sheriff—O. C. Wheeler.

Treasurer—A. G. Kirkman.

Surveyor—W. R. Richardson.

Coroner—R. W. Tate.

The Republican County Convention which assembled in Greensboro last Saturday, nominated the following candidates for the Legislature and various county offices:

For the Senate—Joshua Murrow.

House—B. G. Chilcutt and J. A. Pritchett.

Sheriff—J. D. White.

Clerk—A. A. Holton.

Register—J. W. Causey.

Treasurer—G. Will. Armfield.

Surveyor—L. E. Osborne.

Coroner—A. A. Hinton.

REPUBLICAN COUNTY CONVENTION.—The Forsyth County Republicans met in the courthouse last Saturday afternoon and put in nomination the following ticket:

House—Edgar Lineback.

Sheriff—Dr. M. E. Teague.

Clerk—C. S. Hauser.

Register of Deeds—J. P. Staunton.

Treasurer—W. S. Linville.

Surveyor—J. W. Jones.

Coroner—A. Fogle.

—A special from St. Paul, Minn., says an official letter from Fort Shaw gives strong evidence that the Crows, Bloods and Pieguns are preparing for war with each other. It is thought to be the beginning of serious troubles.

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Nice, clean, Bath Tubs in connection with the Shop, where cold or warm baths can be had at all hours.

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THE undersigned having qualified as Executor of Jonathan Swain, deceased, and being duly sworn, hereby legally authenticated for payment on or before the 1st day of September, 1887, this notice will be placed in bar of recovery.

CHARLES T. POPE, Ex'r.

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Four grades are made in preparing seed—the first grade being all the perfect grain, for seed; the second grade for market or milling purposes; the third comprising all the small and faulty grains and particles; and the fourth grade is that which is carried off by the combination of Fine Screen work and the blast. Each grade is deposited into separate bags, as shown in the Cut; and the first and second can be run together in the same bag if desired.

THIS MACHINE

Separates from Wheat all foul stuff, such as Oats, Rye, Cockle, Garlic, Cheat, White Caps, &c., and with the same operation grades the grain being treated; and will separate Wheat, Corn, Rye, Coffee, Rice, Clover Seed, Timothy Seed, Orchard Grass, or any kind of grain or grass seed.

This machine is run by hand or by power without any extra attachments; and by removing too small bolts the Machine is knocked down ready for shipping, moving or packing away. Hence it is the most convenient Machine to handle, takes up the least room, does the most work and gives the best satisfaction of any Fanning Mills on the market.

A large number of certificates could be given in regard to the Machine; but to show how the VICTOR is appreciated by all the leading Farmers and Grain Dealers, we give a list of the sales, nearly all of which were made by one Agent in the short space of three months:

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H. T. Moser,	Bethania, N. C.	T. A. Wells,	Stateville, N. C.	A. M. Probst,	Newton, N. C.
J. A. Wolf,	Sedge Garden,	W. E. Morrison,	"	S. T. Wilkins,	"
M. G. Clayton,	"	J. A. Robinson,	"	G. L. & H. L. Shuford,	"

LOCAL ITEMS.

AN EDITION OF THE WEEK'S DOINGS.

Departure and arrival of Trains on the Salem Branch—N. W. N. C. R. R.
No. 1 Leaves 6:30 a. m. Mail closes 5:45.
No. 2 Arrives 11:30 a. m.
No. 3 Leaves 2:30 p. m. Mail closes 6:45.
No. 4 Arrives 12:30 p. m.
Money order and Register business closes at 6 p. m.

Cow for sale, very cheap. Apply to C. E. Crist.

The prayer meetings at Elm Street Chapel are still in progress.

Robert Stewart is having a neat residence built in Kernersville.

Wm. Dettmar and wife have returned from a tour north and west.

A Methodist protracted meeting began at Oak Ridge last Sunday.

Kernersville Public School, Rev. J. W. Plunk teacher, will open next Monday.

Miss Addie Kerner, of Kernersville, is visiting her sister Mrs. Shore, in Yadkinville.

Mrs. W. A. Lowery, of Kernersville, died of consumption in that place on Friday last.

Jas. Petree occupies the old stone house, corner of Main and West Streets in this place.

H. W. Barrow has had water put into his residence from the Winston water supply.

A number of persons from this place and Winston went to Greensboro yesterday to see Dorris big show.

Miss Mattie Walston, of Tarboro, a pupil of Salem Female Academy, returned home on Saturday last.

T. B. Purnell, Esq., spent several days here with his family, and returned to Raleigh on Tuesday morning.

We learn that Crist Tavis has returned from Washington Territory very favorably impressed with that country.

The estimated cost of a sewerage system for Winston and Salem is \$9,750; \$7,500 for Winston and \$2,250 for Salem.

El. W. Clewell, after a visit of several weeks among relatives and friends in this place, left for Chicago Tuesday last.

The young ladies of the Academy, gathered at Harrison Reed's farm yesterday, it being the occasion of Rev. J. H. Clewell's birthday.

Freeman, of the firm of Crews & Freeman in Kernersville, is having a residence erected at Walnut Cove, Stokes County, where he will move.

J. D. Friday, formerly of this place, but lately of Kernersville, left for Durham, Sunday morning last. He has a position in the Oak Cotton Mills.

On Thursday last a little son of Jonas Shore, of this place, while playing near the boiler at the tannery, stepped in hot ashes and burned his feet badly.

M. M. Stein has returned from the North, where he was under treatment of an oculist. Hope he will be benefited thereby. See new ad. in this issue.

Up to date nothing satisfactory has been heard from Miss Krieger, the lost woman. A strange woman was seen near the Yadkin River, a few days since.

C. A. McCallister, of the Kernersville Granite works, was in town Monday, setting water table of J. A. Gray's new residence. The granite works are a success.

Some of the cherry trees in Kernersville, are in blossom this year. Old uncle Cal. Kerner says its no earthquake sign, as it frequently happens.

A protracted meeting has been in progress for a week or so at the Friendship, Guilford County. Up to the last Sunday over twenty conversions were the result of the meetings.

Earnest Hagen, who has been spending the summer at a relative's in friends in this place, has returned to Bethlehem, Pa., to resume his studies in the Moravian Theological Seminary.

The dog catcher in Winston caught a dog recently, without the tag, belonging to a little boy. The little fellow raised four cents, but invested it in chewing gum instead of attempting to release the dog.

The Jewish New Year's Eve occurred Wednesday with suspension of business at 6 o'clock. To day, 29th, is New Year, Rosh Hashanah. Hebrews suspend all business, October 9th is the day of Atonement, Yom Kippur, and is observed as a day of fasting. No business.

The county commissioners in special session last Saturday, heard the contested real estate of D. K. Hasten and others against the Supervisors of Kernersville township. On failure of the defendants to give bond to secure the costs the appeal was dismissed at the defendant's cost and the case remained to the board of Supervisors.—Prof. Farmer.

LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.

Sweet potatoes will not be so good, owing to the dry weather this fall.

The corn crop is a failure this year. There are only a few scattering ones.

Protracted meeting commences at Abbott's Creek on the 3rd Sunday in November.

Protracted meeting begins at Shady Grove, in Davidson county, on the 5th Sunday in October.

Mr. Wagoner, of this county, received over \$900 for his six acre tobacco crop last year. He succeeded in curing it nicely.

Jonathan Jones killed four large copperhead snakes in his meadow last Thursday. They were all of them close together.

A man tells us that clover sowed thick on ground will exterminate weeds. It makes so much shade that weeds cannot grow with it.

From present prospects apples will be scarce this winter. It is a general complaint that late apple trees have but a small amount of fruit on them.

People should see that cattle have free access to water this season of the year. Grass is becoming dry and to prevent distemper cows need more water than when the grass is green.

We hear some of the merchants in Winston and Salem complain that eggs are unusually scarce. Those who have fresh eggs for sale can obtain good prices for them just now.

The markets are well supplied with hay at present, and it is rather dull sale but it will bring better prices as soon as the late crop is all made. Many sell hay without first stacking it, and this is a cause of an overstock.

Late cucumbers did not do much good this fall. Those who depended on putting up winter pickles from their late patches, have been disappointed and many will have to dispense with this luxury.

Corn in bottom land took root so shallow that much of it breaks low and falls down during the dry weather this fall. Owing to this fact, a quantity of corn will rot for want of roots to support it.

We learn that the ague was effectively cured recently by putting a quantity of black pepper in brandy, and drinking largely of it, just before time for the chill to come on. The dose was continued for a few weeks occasionally, and no chills since. People should remember this.

Dr. Webb, of Waukegan, has a violin which he has owned for more than 30 years. He carries it with him much of the time, and there are but few who can make as good music as he can. He is a natural born musician, being able to use almost any instrument well.

People cannot handle guns with much care now for days ago one fell from the hands of John Taylor, and the lock struck a rock discharging the load. The bullet passed near Mr. Taylor's head, but fortunately he was not hurt.

Meadows generally had but a light crop of hay on them this fall, but Samuel Eller says that one of his meadows, being on the wetter side, had the largest crop on it that it ever had, and his recollection, and the hay was of excellent quality.

Martin Smith, of Davidson county, says that tobacco worms have been worse this year than he ever saw them any year previous. He says that there were times this year that he killed more worms in one day than he killed on his whole crop last year.

Mr. Kennedy, of Winston, the enterprising furniture man, has opened a furniture store in Greensboro, and is receiving a good trade there. His trade in Winston continues to grow and he is constantly receiving new goods to add to his large stock. We wish him success.

James F. Allen is just back from a trip into Virginia, where he bought 7 horses. Mr. Allen has come to be a regular horse trader. He has made several trips during the summer, each time bringing back with him a small drove of horses which he finds sale for.

A farmer recommends the plan of breaking wheat land very deep; says by doing this it gives the water a chance to escape below the rootlets of the wheat and prevents frequent freezing. He says shallow plowing is a great cause of thin wheat in the spring.

While David Jones was curing tobacco the furnace burst, just as he was to begin his next lot. He succeeded in drawing the fire before it did any damage. He lacked a day of curing the tobacco as long as he had intended, but he said it would not do to heat after letting it cool to make repairs.

S. Otto Wilson, the proprietor of the Raleigh Nurseries, has invented a tobacco stick and has applied for a patent on it. By the use of this stick parties are not obliged to cut the whole stalk, but can take off the leaves as they ripen and preserve uniformity in the grades of tobacco, and save trouble in handling the stalks.

We are sorry to hear that Jonas Knaus, of Davidson county, had a barn full of tobacco to burn up, one day last week. He was curing two barns at the same time, and has just finished one, and left a fire in the furnace of it, and gone to the other one. When he discovered the fire it was beyond control. It was full of nice tobacco.

A fruit raiser says that in selecting a location for an orchard, a place should be chosen where chickens can have free access to it, for he says they are all the time devouring insects which would do damage to the fruit, if left in the orchard. If fowls begin to destroy fruit on trees, crop their wings and this stops that trouble.

It is the time of year that it would be to the advantage of farmers to commence pushing fattening hogs. They require much less food if fed to them before the rough weather sets in, and corn appears to be more nutritious when soft than when it becomes hard. During cold weather much food is lost in keeping up animal heat.

There is the largest growth of weeds and grass this year that we have ever seen. Many predicted that there would be much sickness when vegetation began to die and decay, but so far the health of the people of this section has been good. We have heard of only a few cases of fever, and most of these have been of a mild type.

Possum hunters seem to have gone into business early this fall. We can hear them at night frequently. It is not uncommon to hear of some of them cutting timber in woods without asking consent of the owners. Some have found it necessary to post land on this account. Grapes and persimmons being scarce it is not likely that possums will be very fat.

Michael Bodenhamer has a hop vine which is unusually full of hops. These vines used to be very common, but we seldom see one of late years. People have become careless about raising them. It would pay people to raise them to a limited extent, as they sell for a price which will remunerate a person for tending to them, and the very best of yeast can be made by the use of them.

We notice that some farmers are plowing their stubble land twice before sowing wheat. This is a good plan and it will pay to do it. The increase in yield will more than pay for this trouble. It is more necessary to prepare wheat ground well than to prepare corn ground well, because wheat is not tended after sowing, but corn ground is stirred while the crop is growing.

We notice that turnips in most patches are thin, and it would surprise some people to see how large they will grow if they were to hoe them a few times before cold weather comes on. We heard one man say he always thins his to such an extent as he can hoe between them, and he raises unusually large ones. He says the work of thinning can easily be done with a hoe.

A list of Letters remaining in the Post Office at Salem, N. C., for the week ending Sept. 25th, 1886:

Ladies.

Miss Mary Brown, Mrs. Annie A. Edwards, Miss Mary E. Fisher, Miss Maria Longworth, Mrs. James Miller, Miss Mary Miller, Miss Mamie Myers, Miss Anna Spauld.

Gentlemen.

Mess. F. C. Burdett, Mr. J. Eaton, Mr. Josiah Gray, Mr. Samuel Hewitt, Mr. Columbus Johnson, D. Mercer, Mr. John Norris, Mr. Martin Pinkston, Mr. Wm. Snider.

To obtain any of these letters the applicant must call for advertised letters. If not called for within one month they will be sent to the dead letter office.

T. B. DOUTHIT, P. M.

MARRIED.

In Winston, Sept. 21st, at the residence of the bride's mother, by Rev. Mr. Scroggs, JOHN W. MERRITT, of Greensboro, N. C., to Miss MARY BYNUM, daughter of Mrs. Mary F. Blynum.

DIED.

At East Bend, Yadkin county, on Sunday night last, Miss MOLLIE JONES, of this place, daughter of Mrs. Aquilla Jones. She was an estimable young lady, aged about 22 years. Her remains were interred in Salem Cemetery, Tuesday last.

In this county, Sept. 18th, PINK TALL, a well known and respected citizen.

In Davidson county, on the 23rd inst., an infant of Mahlon Charles.

COUNTY ORGANIZATION.—The Democratic Executive Committee of Forsyth County met in Winston on Saturday last and organized by electing R. B. Kerner, chairman, and Melvin Hamlin, Secretary. They also completed the county organization by electing the following executive committees for the various townships, viz.:

Abbott's Creek—P. W. Raper, ch'm, Jo. Whicker, Clayton Snider.

Belew's Creek—Fuel Fulton, ch'm, W. M. Lammaster, B. R. Hester.

Bethania—R. L. Cox, ch'm, Jas. E. Ziglar, John T. Miller.

Broad Bay—W. H. Sheppard, ch'm, W. M. Nissen, Chas. Rothrock.

Kernersville—J. H. Lindsay, ch'm, W. P. Wilson, L. E. Griffith.

Lewisville—J. F. Griffith, ch'm, W. G. Hanger, D. A. Binkley.

Middle Fork—P. A. Cox, ch'm, E. W. Liville, M. H. Morris.

Old Richmond—J. C. Fleming, ch'm, Jas. Scales, E. L. Reed.

Old Town—C. H. Hauser, ch'm, J. H. Reich, Jr., R. B. Flynt.

Salem—Col. F. H. Fries, ch'm, R. D. McCulston, N. T. Store.

Salem Chapel—T. J. Valentine, ch'm, Jo. Grubbs, I. D. Dalton.

South Fork—Jno. E. Faw, ch'm, Alfred Atwood, Junius Boyer.

Vienna—A. E. Conrad, ch'm, E. C. Dull, Henry Lehman.

Winston—R. B. Kerner, ch'm, B. J. Sheppard, Ed. H. Wilson.

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No. 28—3m.

TAX NOTICE.

I am now ready to receive the Corporation Taxes for this year. Please call and pay. The money is now wanted for Street and Engine House expenses at once. The levy is 6 cents on the \$100, \$1.20 on the Poll and \$2.00 Road tax. L. N. CLINARD, Salem, Sept. 10, 1886. Tax Collector.

North Carolina. In Superior Court, FORSYTH COUNTY.

Lacy Mock, widow of Jesse Mock, dec'd, plaintiff, against

A. B. Mock, Matilda Weisner and her husband Ephraim Weisner and others, defendants.

Petition for dower in lands of said deceased.

It appearing to the Court that three of the children of Pauline Mock, wife of David Sink, to-wit: Josephine Sink, Mary Sink and Sarah Sink, and their husbands, are not residents of this State, and that the said defendants are hereby notified and required to be and appear at the office of the Superior Court, Clerk of said County, at the Court-House in Winston, North Carolina, on the 22nd day of October, 1886, and then and there to show cause why judgment will be rendered against them in accordance with the relief demanded in said complaint.

Witness, C. R. Hauser, clerk of Forsyth Superior Court, Winston, N. C., September 7th, 1886.

C. S. HAUSER, Clerk of Forsyth Superior Court.

T. J. Wilson, Attorney, Sept. 9th, 1886.—6w.

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